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Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

#### RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

#### Dear Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated October 8, 2002, please extend the period of time for response 3 months, to expire on February 8, 2003 (Saturday). Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee.

Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1, 3-4, and 11 (in part) drawn to polynucleotides, expression vectors and cells comprising the vector, and the species of SEQ ID NO:110 (P501S).

Consideration of the elected claims is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2520	1812	2520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	930
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1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	
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1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1510	1451	1510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1300	2453	650	Petition to revive – unintentional	
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1801	750	2801	375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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